

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 09/782,320 Confirmation No. 9819  
Applicant : Bernhard H. van Lengerich  
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Examiner : ROBERTS, Lezah W.  
Docket No. : BVL-102A  
Customer No. : 23290  
For : Embedding and Encapsulation of Sensitive Components into a  
Matrix to Obtain Discrete Controlled Release Particles

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 4, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 14.